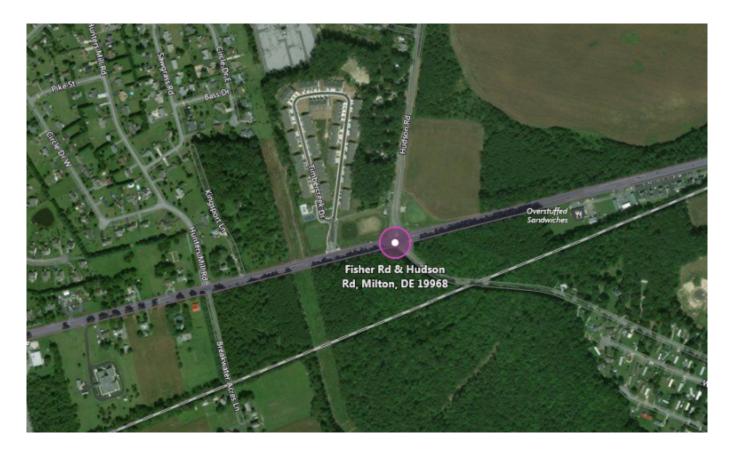
Delaware State Police Investigating Shooting-Milton



Milton— The Delaware State Police are currently investigating a shooting that occurred last evening in the Milton area.

The preliminary investigation has determined that the incident was reported at approximately 8:08 p.m. Tuesday, January 9, 2018, when Troopers were dispatched to a local area hospital in reference to a reported shooting. The incident was reported to the State Police by the Hospital Emergency Section Staff. The incident is alleged to have occurred between 5:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., when the victim was walking on the roadway in the area of Fisher Road and Hudson Road and sustained a single gunshot wound to his lower extremity. The victim, a 23-year-old male of Milton was transported to a local area hospital by a personal vehicle where Detectives

made contact with him, and he was treated and later released.

The suspect was described as a black male approximately 6'00" tall, 180 lbs., with a full beard, wearing a dark colored hoodie, blue jeans, and driving a black 4-door passenger car.

This incident remains under investigation by the Delaware State Police Major Crimes Unit. If anyone has any information in reference to this incident, they are asked to please contact Detective T. Williams-Snipes at 302-752-3897. Information may also be provided by calling Delaware Crime Stoppers at 1-800-TIP-3333, via the internet at www.delaware.crimestoppersweb.com.

If you or someone you know is a victim or witness of crime or have lost a loved one to a sudden death and are in need of assistance, the Delaware State Police Victim Services Unit/Delaware Victim Center is available to offer you support and resources 24 hours a day through a toll free hotline 1800 VICTIM-1. (1800 842-8461). You may also email the unit Director at debra.reed@delaware.gov.

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